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EDITORIAL PERISCOPE

THE WEATHER—Saturday: Fair and Warmer.

Just 40 days till Christmas. Shop early.

Turkeys are selling for 30 cents in Maysville and 31 cents in Paris, Ky.

Get an eye on your Thanksgiving turkey or you will have to eat a rooster.

Jack Frost has arrived and John Barleycorn is doing his best to come back.

Wisconsin Socialists have defied the House by renominating the traitor Berger, ousted for disloyalty.

The war department has received 40,000 requests from relatives for the return of bodies of soldiers dead in France.

The improvement in the last two issues of the Kentuckian is explained by the absence of the editor.

Eleven Arkansas negroes who "leavened" a lump of 46, are to be executed for insurrection. The others got jail sentences.

The Kentuckian now has facilities for manufacturing cuts and cartoons from mats. The splendid pictures you see were made in the office.

Next week is the time for your Thanksgiving advertising. We can help you prepare your ads and furnish exclusive cuts.

Miss Cora Singleton, postmistress of Stanford, Ky., has had such success handing mails that she has married Milton Saunders and gone to Akron, O.

A Winchester doctor has just bought a Clark county farm at \$365 an acre. Some operations must have helped his regular fees.

William Golden and W. O. Armstrong, of Frankfort, took similar lessons in the school of experience Thursday. Each broke an arm in cranking his Ford.

A protracted meeting held by Curt Jett, the converted convict at the Glendale School of Reform, resulted in 76 converts. Many of them were baptized in Lexington.

F. L. McGuffey and Miss Cordia Linthicum, of Stanford, took an important step by being married on the steps of the Court House.

Martin Burke paid \$15 for a Frankfort county rabbit. The H. C. H. valuation was placed on it by the county Judge because it was shot before Nov. 15th.

The walls of the old Capitol Hotel at Frankfort will be razed next week in order that new walls may be raised.

Table butter is selling in Nashville at 40 to 45 cents, but eggs have gone higher than a Reed platform and are selling at a nickel apiece.

At Danville, Mrs. E. L. Grubbs was the living cargo on an auto that went dead on the track in front of an approaching train. She saved her life by jumping and let the car go.

Victor Berger, the Wisconsin Socialist fired from Congress threatens to run again. He ought to be required to conduct his canvass from behind jail bars.

The open season for quail, rabbits and squirrel begins today. Many will go forth and some will come back empty-handed, and many a hunter's reputation will be saved by a rabbit.

The meat trust, juggling with the prices of the farmers' fat hogs has dropped the tops again to 14 cents. But bacon is still four times as much.

Senator Martin, one of the noblest Romans of them all, is dead. If we had to lose another Senator they couldn't it have been Gore, Reed, Walsh or Shields, who no longer vote with the Democrats?

The Kentucky and Rhode Island decisions have filled the wets with hope that they may have one more drunken Christmas. A decision will be rendered today and in many states orders are being taken to ship liquor as soon as the bars are down.

WHISKY SALES IN LOUISVILLE

JUDGE EVANS ENJOINS FEDERAL AUTHORITIES FROM INTERFERING

RHODE ISLAND IS ALSO WET

Palmer Vigorously To Defend Validity of War-Time Prohibition Statute.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 13.—For the first time since July 1, when war-time prohibition went into effect, whiskey was sold in Louisville today without interference by the Federal authorities.

The sales were made by two Louisville distilleries from their tax paid floor stocks under the protection of a temporary injunction issued by Federal Judge Walter Evans, but in the face of a government warning that if the Supreme Court finds war-time prohibition constitutional prosecutions were possible.

The action of Judge Evans today apparently attracted wide attention. Many messages were received asking for copies of the brief and arguments in the case in which the court, in effect, held war-time prohibition unconstitutional and upheld an attack upon the Volstead enforcement act. Pennsylvania liquor interests were especially interested.

The Government immediately took an appeal to the United States Circuit Court at Cincinnati and announced its intention of asking the higher court for a writ of supersedeas which would have the effect of staying the injunction.

Rhode Island Also. Providence, R. I., Nov. 13.—A degree making operative the injunction against the enforcement of war-time prohibition granted by Federal Judge Arthur L. Brown, was entered here late today in the United States District Court. By its terms federal officials in this district are enjoined from enforcing title 1 of the national prohibition act against the Narragansett Brewing Company.

Beer in California. San Francisco, Nov. 13.—Randolph A. Samet, president of the California Brewing Association, notified the internal revenue collector here that he would begin at once the manufacture of beer containing 2% per cent. alcohol, according to an announcement by the collector.

WEDDING INVITATIONS

Handsomely engraved cards as follows have been sent out to friends: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clifton Gary. Invite you to be present at the marriage of their daughter, Sarah Elizabeth to

Mr. Granville Lipscomb Cayce on Tuesday, November twenty-fifth nineteen hundred and nineteen. South Union Baptist Church, Church Hill, Kentucky.

Mrs. L. K. Wood is visiting relatives in Fairfield, Ill.

"PRO" FOOTBALL NOW



Professional football is soon going to be America's great fall and winter sport—and here is one of the pioneers and stars who helped make it so. It is Jim Thorpe, Indian athlete and major league ballplayer who formerly was Carlisle's great grid star. After the baseball season closes, Thorpe goes to Canton, O., where he manages and captains the "Bulldogs." "Pro" games in Ohio are very popular.

"EVENTUALLY—WHY NOT NOW?"



DECISION ON MONDAY

Judge Evans Will Pass On Demurrer At Paducah Next Week.

County Attorney S. T. Fruit was in Louisville Thursday to be present at the hearing by Judge Evans of arguments in the suit against twenty-five men of this city and county who were sued recently for \$50,000 in Federal Court at Paducah by J. T. Ragsdale, formerly a saloonist at Pembroke.

Judge Geo. DuRelle, retained by them, argued for the defendants and W. A. Berry, of Moequot, Berry & Berry, of Paducah, for the plaintiff. Judge Evans took the case under advisement and will render a decision at Paducah Monday, on a demurrer.

Two questions are involved in the decision—whether the Federal Court can disturb the fine imposed in the county court and whether the defendants entered into a conspiracy with the county Judge and others to put plaintiff out of business.

The plaintiff was notified to amend his petition to show that he is a citizen of Missouri and the defendants citizens of Kentucky. These facts were not shown.

ST. BERNARD SALE REPORTED

Eastern Syndicate Obtains Vast West Kentucky Coal Holding, Is News.

New York, Nov. 14.—It is reported in New York financial circles that a syndicate of eastern capitalists has purchased the St. Bernard Mining Company, a Kentucky Corporation which owns and operates at least eleven coal mines in the Western Kentucky coal field.

All properties and holding of the St. Bernard will go to the new owners, it is said.

It is understood this is the first and most important step in the syndicate's plan to obtain all coal properties in the Western Kentucky field.

The St. Bernard owned and operated five mines in and near Earlington, one mine at St. Charles, two at Providence, one at Mortons Gap and two near Madisonville, the two latter being held in the name of the Victoria Coal Company, a subsidiary of the St. Bernard.

Offices of the St. Bernard have been in Earlington, but the purchasing syndicate already has com-

GOVERNMENT FOOD STUFFS

New Supply Has Come And Will Go On Sale Today.

Another shipment of government foods will be placed on sale in this city at the City Hall this morning.

The car arrived yesterday and the afternoon was used to unload and arrange the different articles in order that the sale might be expedited and the crowd handled with as little confusion as possible.

It is hoped to sell everything in case lots, as this relieves much of the congestion and confusion due to opening cases and selling a can at a time. In this shipment here are two hundred cases of each article.

The articles to be placed on sale today and the prices are:

Bacon in slabs per pound, 20c.
Bacon in 12-lb. cans, per can \$2.75
Beans, in cases of 24 cans, \$2.16.
Corn in cases of 24 cans, \$2.16.
Beans in cases of 24 cans, \$2.64.
Tomatoes in cases of 24 cans, \$2.64.

PURELY PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Murphy, left Saturday night for Dickson, Tenn., where they will make their future home.—Pembroke Journal.

Mrs. Will Kimmons and daughter will leave today for St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Woodruff were called to Arkansas this week by the death of Mrs. Woodruff's father.

Prof. J. W. Gaines is in Cincinnati to secure another teacher for Bethel Woman's College.

Dr. L. W. Doolan, who attended the Association, is visiting his aged mother at Shelbyville, Ky.

Mr. G. H. Stowe went to Cincinnati from the Georgetown Association.

Hopkinsville has four bright young ladies in Georgetown College—Misses Julia Tandy, Julia Breathitt, Mary Fox Clardy and Stella Williamson.

Col. W. K. Caffee, of Carthage, Mo., is visiting Mr. H. L. McPherson's family.

Plans for the erection of its headquarters in Madisonville, four miles away. George C. Atkinson, Earlington, is President of the St. Bernard, and Frank D. Rash, of the same town, is vice president and general manager.

Dan L. Evans, Earlington, secretary and treasurer of the mining company, in a telephone message to the Courier-Journal said he knew nothing of the sale. Such a deal has been discussed, he admitted.

CAMPAIGN TO CRUSH OUT ANARCHY

MANY ARRESTS MADE AS A RESULT OF A WESTERN MAN HUNT.

STATE AND FEDERAL FORCES

Will Make It Hot For The I. W. W.'s In Washington and Oregon.

Centralia, Wash., Nov. 14.—Police and former soldiers yesterday continued to seek alleged members of the Industrial Workers of the World who were involved in the fatal shooting Tuesday of four former soldiers during the armistice day parade.

Britt Smith, an alleged member of the organization, it was announced, identified four of the men held in jail here as men who were in the radicals' headquarters when the parade passed. The shooting followed the lynching of Ernest Everett, whose body was in the jail today as no undertaking would bury it. Everett was wrongly identified as "Brick" Smith.

The four former service men will be buried tomorrow at a public funeral, which will be attended by their former comrades in arms.

Early today George Paxton, a former soldier, was fired upon as he was patrolling the road between Centralia and Chehalis, to which town four of the prisoners had been removed. The person who fired the shot has not been apprehended.

Prosecuting Attorney Herman Allen has been instructed by the Federal District Attorney of Western Washington to place murder charges against all prisoners whom Allen has evidenced. Conspiracy charges will be filed against the others, it was announced.

Rounding Up I. W. W.'s.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 13.—Raids were conducted in Washington and Oregon cities yesterday by State and Federal officials on Industrial Workers of the World headquarters and many arrests were made of alleged members of the organization.

Governor L. F. Hart of Washington, announced he would start a state-wide campaign to wipe out Industrial Workers of the World, Bolshevik and other radicals, and called upon all state officials to co-operate with Federal and county officials in the work. The governor received messages asking him to convene the legislature to pass stringent anti-Industrial Workers of the World laws.

EASY FOR THE LOCALS.

In the game between the Nashville High School and Hopkinsville High School, yesterday afternoon, in this city, Hopkinsville won by the easy score of 31 to 0. At no time was the local goal in danger.

Croft starred for the locals, making 3 to 5 touchdowns, the others being made by Dabney and Acree.

Rev. Geo. C. Abbott is back from Louisville.

N.-Y. GIRL LEGISLATOR AIMS AT PROFITEERS



Miss Marguerite Smith, 25, Republican, athlete and teacher of hygiene, had a strenuous campaign rewarded in election. All her fight in the New York legislature is to be aimed at the profiteers, she announced.

BETHEL GETS \$100,000 AID

GENERAL ASSOCIATION OF THE BAPTISTS AT GEORGETOWN COMPLETES ITS WORK.

SESSION LARGELY ATTENDED

\$1,768,000 Given To Schools and the Two Bethels Get a Small Part.

Georgetown, Ky., Nov. 14.—The General Baptist Association here completed its session yesterday, the principal matter disposed of Thursday being the distribution of the educational fund of \$1,768,000.

Of this fund Georgetown College got \$700,000, Williamsburg College \$400,000, Bethel at Russellville \$200,000, one-fourth for building and the rest for endowment; Bethel Woman's College at Hopkinsville \$100,000, half for buildings and half for endowment, just half what the college asked; Russell Creek Academy \$100,000, and the remaining \$268,000 was set aside for south-wide needs. Bethel College made a fight for \$100,000 of the Williamsburg fund, but the amendment was lost. The Budget Committee recommended that all funds above \$6,500,000 that may be raised shall be given to Christian education to be "expended for schools as their needs may appear." It was predicted by General Organizer Jno. L. Hill that this contingent fund would amount to \$500,000. A definite recommendation that Bethel Woman's College be given \$100,000 of this and Oneida Institute \$50,000 was stricken from the report on education.

The entire day of the general association was devoted to discussion of the \$75,000,000 campaign, the chief address being made by State Director John L. Hill and Rev. Geo. McDaniel, pastor of the First Baptist church, Richmond, Va., the former speaking for one hour on the campaign and Kentucky Baptists and the latter upon the \$75,000,000 program and the world.

In the morning session the Baptist State Board of Missions reported merging of the two papers, the Baptist World and the Western Recorder, controlled by the Board of Missions. The paper will retain the name of the Western Recorder and Landrum, Russellville.

An impressive occasion was the presentation of 30 new members who have come into the State during the past year. The new pastors were called to the front of the church and introduced by Dr. W. W. Landrum, Louisville.

State Secretary J. R. Black, of Louisville, told of accomplishments in the Sunday Schools in the past twelve months, and his brother, C. O. Black, Louisville, of the new state Baptist Young People's Union.

Secretary Black made his first appearance, reporting progress in the work since he took charge.

The afternoon session was taken up with reports on the various phases of the work.

The messengers nearly all left this afternoon, though a final session was held in the evening, at which resolutions were adopted thanking the Georgetown people for their unstinted hospitality.

The following Christian county messengers and visitors were present: Revs. L. W. Doolan, B. E. Gabby, L. L. Spurlin, B. O. Herring, J. H. Broom; Rev. and Mrs. E. O. Cottrell, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Price, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Walker, Dr. J. W. Gaines, Geo. E. Gary, Chas. M. Meacham, G. H. Stowe and Rev. M. M. McFarland, who still makes his home at Howell.

Young Man Died.

Ellis Robertson, son of Wallace Robertson, formerly of this city, died at Wichita Falls, Texas, from injuries recently received in an explosion in an ice plant where he was employed.

The Prince of Wales pinned medal upon Miss Mary W. Arvin, of this city, in Washington, Thursday. Three other Kentuckians were similarly honored. Miss Arvin was decorated for heroism during the burning of a hospital in which she was a Red Cross nurse.